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**Re: U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/019,195 of HANNIG, Hans-Jurgen
et al. for their "Panel and Panel Fastening System", Filed: June 3, 2002;
Our Docket No. 09646/4**

Honorable Commissioner:

Enclosed please find the following:

1. Amendment/Response to the Official Action dated December 12, 2003 (17 pages plus 12 pages of drawings and 4 marked-up drawings).
2. Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 CFR 1.136(a) - form PTO/SB/22 (1 page total).
3. Our check in the amount of \$968.00 to cover the Extension of Time Fee (\$950.00), and additional claims fee (\$18.00), as calculated below.
4. Our post card. Please date stamp and return.

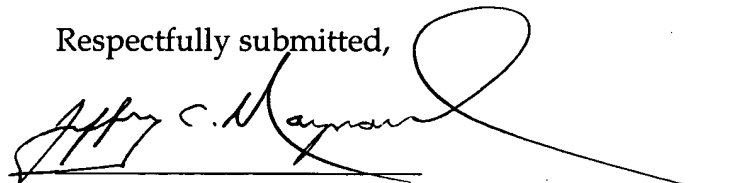
Fee Requirements for Claims as Amended

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Small/Large Entity Rate	Fee
Total	21	Minus	20	0	\$9/\$18	\$18.00
Independent	1	Minus	3	0	\$42/\$84	\$0.00
Amendment adds multiple dependent claims					\$140/\$280	\$0.00
TOTAL						\$18.00

In the event that Applicant has overlooked the need for any petition for an additional extension of time to file the enclosed papers, petition is hereby made to extend the current due date so as to cover the filing date of this paper and attachment(s).

Please charge any unanticipated fees, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No.: 50-1479 (a duplicate copy of this charge authorization is attached).

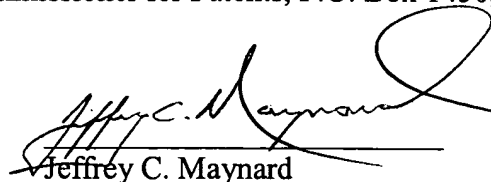
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